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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

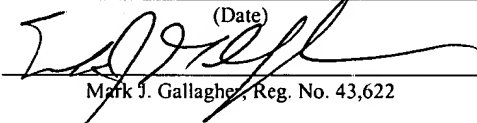
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicant: Gene H. Haertling
Application Number: 09/891,689
Filing Date: June 26, 2001
Title: DEACTIVATED ELECTRO-
OPTIC MATERIAL AND
METHOD OF FORMING THE
SAME
Examiner Name: Evelyn A. Lester
Group Art Unit: 2873

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission Required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:
- (X) Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) with PTO Form 1449 listing five (5) references.
- (X) Return Postcard

2. Miscellaneous:

- (X) Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of 2 months.

3. Fees:

- (X) RCE fee (\$385 small entity/\$770 large entity)
- (X) Fee for suspension (\$130)

4. Payment:


(X) Check in the amount of \$515 to cover the above fees.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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